

Suez to Singapore

By Cecil Brown

INSTANT II On the Syrian War Front

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SYRIA was a terrific experience. It gave me my first real insight into the British—its incredible courage and how they fight with practically no equipment. After seeing the German way in Yugoslavia, I shuddered at the impact of a people who consider war a game of sport, and not an effort requiring a lust for murder and an overwhelming matter. Everything was so casual in Syria.

My great worry was that I couldn't get to Damascus in time to witness its capture. My orders from New York had been very specific:

Suggest you stayward for fall Damascus.

War News Summary

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8

North Africa: Although both jaws of the Allied pincer attack in North Africa are presently stalled, primarily by the difficulties of bringing up adequate armor, the odds are heavily against the Axis on that front. That Hitler ever hopes to hold the narrow coastal strip through which his African armies now are put up longer than necessary to bolster Italy's defenses against a trans-Mediterranean invasion is doubtful. Yet for that and to offer what is left of Rommel's counter-attacking army in Africa any chance whatever of escape from extermination, it is obvious the Axis must make a delaying stand in northern and eastern Tunisia.

A violent tank battle in which the Axis appeared to be making a supreme effort, to hold the line, was fought today in the vicinity of the Mareth line, which bore the brunt of the British attack. The British 1st Army and American shock troops withered the onslaught in a horse-drawn trench in the hills around Tebourba. Behind the British line, which bore the brunt of the British attack, the British 1st Army and American shock troops withered the onslaught in a horse-drawn trench in the hills around Tebourba.

In Libya, aerial activity increased, indicating perhaps that the British 8th Army would soon open an offensive against the Axis line. The British 8th Army would soon open an offensive against the Axis line. The British 8th Army would soon open an offensive against the Axis line.

Russia: The Germans kept desperately to their counter-offensive, but a Soviet dominance declared: "In no sector did the enemy succeed in regaining positions he had lost or in improving his position in any way." Heavy snowfall hampered the Red army's drive, but the Russians reported killing 3,000 Nazis, recapturing two villages on the Rubezh front, and gaining ground elsewhere along the battlefield from Leningrad to the Caucasus.

Pacific Theatre: Another Japanese challenge to the American Air superiority on the New Guinea front has been answered by Allied air forces. The Allied ground forces still are pushing their way into the Japanese positions in the tangled jungle growth and on the sloping shore of the 15-mile beachhead.

The Allied offensives in New Guinea, the Solomon Islands and Africa may prevent the long-awaited attempt to drive the Japs out of Burma. Two of the major strategic blows in a Burma campaign are insufficient air and air power. Plenty of air reinforcements will be needed for a sustained offensive, and it is not possible unless the Allies control the Bengal sea to make it possible to do what while fighting rages on other major fronts.

Urges Offensive

CHUNGKING, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The first anniversary of Pearl Harbor brought from the Chinese press a warning call for the United Nations to make a more determined and devastating assault upon Japan.

MAY SAVE OTHERS

Nazis Get 20 Ships Off Fleet Tonnage

PARTY SPEECH

Gen. Franco Lauds Axis

But Refrains From Giving Spain's Position in War

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Gen. Francisco Franco of Spain lauded the "new order" of Hitler and Mussolini today and reaffirmed his own regime's spiritual kinship therewith but refrained from making a specific declaration concerning Spain's position in the war.

Cossacks Cut Down Germans In Deep Snow

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(BUP)—A battle front today while hard-driving Russian Cossacks dashed over the snow cutting down stragglers from German units bogged down in deep drifts.

Despite the driving storm, fighting was heavy and artillery duels continued and night. The big shells threw up great plumes of snow amid struggling masses of men and machines.

Russian sapper corps, advancing into the German minefield, have been suffering clearing away enemy obstructions, front dispatches said. Mines and tank traps were buried deep under the snow, and operations were slowed down what by bad weather conditions and impassable snow banks.

STIFFENING RESISTANCE
The German resistance was stiffening along the entire front, and the Nazi commanders whipped their ill-fated units into fierce and repeated counter-attacks without success.

The Germans held fast to their second line in the Stalingrad area east of the Don. This line stretches from the city to the sea.

Premier's Visit To U.S. More Than Routine
By B. T. RICHARDSON
Edmonton Bulletin Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The official information available here regarding Prime Minister Mackenzie King's three-day visit to the United States, which was announced last night, is that the visit is more than a routine one.

MAILS HAVE GROWN
The mails dispatched from Edmonton during the past nine months have grown to a great extent and already had made it necessary to provide extra accommodation.

Seeks Third Term
TORONTO, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Mayor Fred J. Cusby yesterday announced his candidature for a third term as mayor. Jan. 1 is election day.

GIVEN AIRFIELDS, PORT FACILITIES

Allies May Get Ships Now at Dakar

Amur, with its dominance of the South Atlantic, once to the United Nations for naval use. The British, aided by the Free French, had gone into Syria to wrest control from Vichy and its German ally.

ON BRACKEN STAND

MacPherson's Intention To Seek Tory Leadership Brings Wide Speculation

By WILLIAM MURPHY
Edmonton Bulletin Staff Reporter

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—The leadership situation here was considerably clarified Monday night with the announcement from Major M. A. MacPherson, K.C., Regina, and runner-up at the Ottawa 1938 convention that he would be a candidate.

President

His declaration dispelled the last doubt in delegates' minds that Premier John Bracken would be given the leadership from the convention without appearing as a candidate and immediately started a flood of speculation on the stand that the Manitoba premier would take.

Close friends of Premier Bracken are confident that he will come before the convention as a candidate. No official word has been heard from Mr. Bracken and it is unlikely that he will make a decision until the party's platform has been clearly indicated.

FOLLOW PORT HOPE AIMS

This platform will be a progressive one would appear certain. The first sub-committee report, the Labor Relations Committee, has practically adopted the Port Hope recommendations for word and other committee work for the resolution of the Port Hope Lay committee form the foundation of those that will be presented to the convention for ratification.

The labor relations committee, it is understood, will recommend that uniform labor relations be established throughout the Dominion by dominion provincial agreements, appropriate legislation or by setting jurisdiction.

Edmonton Pilot Boosts His Bag Of Locomotives

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(CP)—The Edmonton train-buster, King of the B.C.P., after a year's sweep of a Canadian Spine, has been elected president of the B.C.P. in France. By damaging the two engines he raised his total to 21. Ken Robb Lachine, Quebec, was elected engine.

"Cut-and-Dried" Contest Rapped By Diefenbaker

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—(CP)—The "cut-and-dried" contest between the Lake Centre, Saskatchewan, in an interview here that he considered the leadership of the Conservative convention is not going to be a "cut-and-dried" affair.

He has announced he will be a candidate for the leadership and said he would move to make a decision when he heard the convention was likely to be a "cut-and-dried" affair.

"It won't be as far as I am concerned. Delegates to this convention will be asked to elect a leader."

He said he was not ready to say whether he would move to make a decision when he heard the convention was likely to be a "cut-and-dried" affair.

Stockman Dies

CALGARY, Dec. 8.—(CP)—William Jackson, 87, well-known Alberta stockman, died in hospital here Monday following a brief illness.

Boisson at Rabat

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(BUP)—Radio Morocco reports that Governor-General Pierre Boisson, of French West Africa, has arrived at Rabat, capital of Morocco.

The American commander said French West Africa would permit the United Nations to use its airfields for the transport of Allied planes from the United States and its port facilities.

He said Allied shipping interest was being taken up by the United States immediately under the agreement and that any United Nations interest would be freed.

The future of the French fleet in the Atlantic was not made clear in the announcement, which said further evacuations would be held.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8

(HUP)—The United States war department announced this afternoon that enemy forces in Tunisia, which penetrated the Allied front on Monday, were ordered to withdraw. The communication says the Axis forces have been held back by a strong Allied counter-attack with armored units.

By EDWARD W. BEATTIE

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(BUP)—A grand British assault from the east on the Axis positions in Africa, it appeared, may hit the Germans and Italians while the Tunisia fighting still is in the hard skirmishing stage.

The British Eighth Army is the opinion of London observers probably has completed preparations for the break-through attack at El Aghela which is expected to throw Marshal Erwin Rommel into the retreat.

As the Eighth Army attack develops, it was said, the retreat of the Axis forces will be a disaster for the Axis.

For the moment, reports from Africa made plain, the Allies in Tunisia were on the defensive. They worked to bring up sufficient armor to meet the Axis attack.

ENEMY AIR SUPERIORITY
However, it was limited that the Germans with the limited land forces at their disposal will attempt to press forward their attack.

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Two Children Die as Result Thorsby Blaze

Two children died from burns and their uncle lies in a critical condition as a result of a fire that destroyed a house on the corner of St. Joseph and Thorsby, last Monday night.

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North Alberta School Children Rally to Support Navy League

Responding to an appeal by the Northern Alberta division of the Navy League of Canada, school

Submits Report

Mr. McDougall expressed his

Since Nov. 22, fewer than 245 schools had been heard from, while 8,481 individual envelopes had yielded \$1,250.15, or an average of 14.74 cents an envelope.

In the volume of returns, more than 21,000 copper, or one-cent pieces had been sent in.

"Two or three times the deposits have been so heavy that one man

IN ADDITION

Over and above the money sent in by envelope, money orders and postal notes accounted for an ad-

McDougall said that comments accompanying the donations were not considered. Many of the donations were anonymous. On the outside of one envelope was written the inscription "I was in the merchandise line in the last war." Another was "This is all I have, but I wish it was 100 times as much."

McDougall was very pleased to give this report," said Mr. McDougall. "Acknowledgments will be made direct to the donors."

Johnstone Walker Limited

Store Hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Phone 25161—Ask for Dent.

New Velveten FROCKS

Christmas Gifts for Children and Jr. Misses

4.95 to 6.49

When shopping for Christmas gifts for children and misses, most mothers will not forget how essential it is for them to have new frocks for Christmas parties and special occasions afterwards.

★ These new Velvet Frocks come in three popular styles—princess line, flared skirts—trimmed with lace and tulle. These frocks have gathered bodices for extra fullness—others more tailored—all with all round fit for back better—some with long, hand made lace-trimmed, and rows of contrast stitching—sleeves, neckline, collar, cuffs, and

regatta blue, hunter's green, ascert and
mauve brown. Sizes 7 to 14.
Priced at \$4.95 to \$6.49

**Women's Rayon Satin
and Crepe Panties**
Tailored or Lace Trimmed

An intimate gift that never fails to please.
Lovely Rayon Satin and Crepe Panties, tailored
styles with touches of embroidery or
dainty lace trims. Sizes small, medium and
large. Colours as shown.



Price at _____ **1.00**
 ● Other prices in Satin or Crepe Panties
 at _____ **\$1.59 and \$1.98**

**Lovely New Gift Scarves
 of Sheers**

Lovely Scarves for daytime and evening wear.
 Made from fine sheers with fringed and hem-
 stitched borders.

White, yellow, fawn, brown, green, poodle
 blue, turquoise, cardinal, scarlet.

Price at _____ **1.00**

and navy. Priced at **1.00**

**New Shipment of Khaki
Shirts for Army Officers**

Forsyth, Tooke, Warrendale and B.V.D.

2.00 2.50 3.00

Here's timely gift shopping news for those who have Khaki Shirts on gift lists.



Firmly woven, greenish-brown broadcloth
Night bearing—these popular labels are
Fownd, B.V.D., Towhee and Warenden
Regulation military styles with soft
collar attached, shoulder epaulettes, two
military pockets. Sizes 14 to 17.
Priced at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00

WOOL SCARVES
by Currie

Warm, serviceable Knitted Wool Scarves
by Currie in plain stripes or colonial
stripes. Knit in a sturdy waffle stitch



with fringed hair. Shown in navy,
wine, green, blue and air force
white and yellow. Priced at...

2.50

**Men's Zippered Leather
SLIPPERS**

**The Gift That Is Always
Appreciated**

One style as illustrated, with soft padded
sole! Made from soft, pliable brown



leather. Warby lined. Zipper fastening. Another very similar style with hard sole and leather lining. Zipper fastening. Your choice at **3.45**

Johnstone Walker
Limited 1880

By DOROTHY DIX

Tightwad Husband Dissatisfies Wife

Rebel; Man Who Refuses Woman Fair Share Of Income Reduces Her To Slave

Dear Miss Dix: I have been married four years and have a two-year-old son. My husband believes in carrying every cent of his money in his pockets. He never even leaves me a quarter in case I need something while he is at work. He never gives me any decent clothes. I think I ought to be a slave, but I am not. I have to wash and iron his working dresses, and I have so few of them that I have to wash one for him I take the other one off. He thinks I should be giving him the money he gives me. I never get another penny.

The other day I sneaked \$20 out of his pocket. Half of that I spent on him and the rest on the baby and myself. I thought by spending the money like this, he wouldn't say very much, but he did. He said he wanted for the money and could spend it as he wished and from now on I would never get another penny.

Should I expect more than a bare living? Or should I go on and say any more about it?

Answer: I don't think there is ever such a husband. Can you be unhappy that can make his wife so unhappy and so dissatisfied, as for him to be a tightwad who has a husband who thinks that this wife with such contempt for him, as for him to be so stingy that he begrudges her the very food she eats and the clothes on her back?

NO WAGES

The man who refuses to give his wife a fair share of his income and an allowance for her own personal needs reduces her to a state of penury. He is making a slave of her because he forces her to work without wages, well knowing that she earns much more than her board and keep by her services as cook and laundress and baby-tender and general domestic drudge.

I think that any woman is foolish to put up with such treatment from her husband, and that she should tell him exactly what she thinks of it. Unless he gives her some money, she is her right and as a wife and laborer, she is going to leave and get a situation in some other man's kitchen, where she will, at least, get a servant's wage.

Don't worry about having sneaked \$20 out of your husband's pocket. That question has been legally decided in a case where a woman, as a housewife, had his wife's money as a wife's property, as a wife's property, and the court ruled that it was a wife's privilege to do so when her husband's pettishness forced her to get money out of him while he was practically unconscious. Furthermore, she was not so white, since the money was a husband earned belonged to his wife as it did to him.

ALLERGIC TO BABIES

DEAR MISS DIX: I have been married 20 years and I am a woman 35 years old. We have a beautiful home. He is kind and gentle to me and I have everything I want except a baby. But that what I crave more than anything else in the world. When I married

Flower Pictures Fascinating to Do

By ALICE BROOKS

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Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE HEER ELDRED

I always feel badly when a writer—enclosing a stamped envelope for a baby answer—says "I am looking for my answer in the paper in a few days."

This department runs for six days weekly which means six days a week I should have an answer. I thought he would change his mind and I would be able to get into those six days. I thought he would change his mind and I would be able to get into those six days.

Mrs. A. H. has a baby of nine months. She weighs 22 pounds. She is healthy and strong and sturdy, but I feel she is too fat. She is a little too fat. She is a little too fat. She is a little too fat.

Mother: "I thought having children would be fun. I never guessed how much fun it would be to make them as perfect as I can."

Tenderness and striving over hard to attain perfection destroys the gaiety and warmth of love which gives children emotional security.

Home Service

Is Conspicuously No, Says Diagram

There is NO SUCH THING AS A HORSE-LAUGH

Horse-laugh is about as revealing as a horse-sneeze, for neither is found in horses. Horses never laugh or even make sounds that would make you think of a laugh.

Easy Way To Learn Any Step

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McCoy Health Low-Cost Meals Aid Holiday Hosts

By MRS. GORDON MADDOX

We often hear people speak of "purifying the system." From this we might conclude that the body must every so often be purified by something which is lower than a matter of fact, the body is at all times, constantly and constantly purifying itself.

Purification takes place through four great channels of elimination: The colon, the kidneys, the skin and the lungs. The colon takes care of getting rid of wastes from the body. The kidneys eliminate non-volatile acids, and the lungs force the body of carbon dioxide by the breathing-out process.

In addition to these eliminative pathways, the body has another great system constantly working to purify it—the lymphatic system. If you could see a picture of the lymph channels all over the body you would see that these are as important as all of the blood channels made up of the great network of arteries, capillaries and veins.

It is the lymph which comes into direct contact with the tissue cells, carrying away from the cells the waste products formed by all living tissue.

The body might be compared to a fire which is perpetually creating ashes by its very burning. The system must continue to clear itself of these ashes, and part of this clearing process concerns itself with the flow of lymph as it works its way through the great lymphatic system.

In health, waste products are promptly removed. In disease it is common to find that some obstruction to elimination has taken place.

Because of this obstruction, elimination is not as rapid as it should be. This allows materials to accumulate which should be gotten rid of. These materials are often referred to as "toxins," which is not an accurate term, but is about the best.

Laughing Jacks does not laugh, and is not a very funny very sorrowful bird without a trace of humor. So the "horse-laugh" is on kind of sound that all even the

By a knowledge of nutrition, a few good recipes and low cost meals and other good food you can supply your family with wholesome and delicious dishes despite rising and high costs. During the holiday season when so many friends come to parties and dinners, it is important to understand that has been invented. For a person poisoned to some extent by retained waste products, the expression "auto-intoxication" is used.

Whenever there is evidence in the form of impaired health, of interference with elimination, it becomes important to try to clear away accumulated wastes by opening up the eliminative channels. This may be done in various ways, for example the colon may be cleaned with the enema, the kidneys may be flushed by drinking plenty of water, the skin may be stimulated to greater activity by bathing and the lungs may be called into greater activity by deep breathing. Exercise and massage will help free the lymphatic circulation, bring it back to normal in this quarter. Or, the body may be purified by fasting. During the fast, energy formerly needed in the digestion of food is set free for other work and this energy is often used by the body in speeding up elimination. Dr. Alexis Carrel has stated "Fasting purifies and profoundly modifies our tissues."

It is true that those who feel the need of purifying the body are urged to try the fast.

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Supper: Stuffed green peppers, wholemeal toast, stewed apples, cookies, tea, milk.

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So you see what we are doing. On the one hand we are saying that unless a man works within an economic system he will get no money. Then we proceed to

the need for human toil by improved machinery so that he not get a job. Finally we tell that he cannot have the goods which the machine is producing without his help because he

Could anything be more insane than that? Now what really need is some good, for right common-sense in dealing with this problem in the post-order.

I submit that the first and basic need is to recognize that the purpose of employment is not to provide persons with incomes to produce goods and services for our use.

That leads me to the second point. Because power-driven machines are progressively replacing manpower in industry, and men can no longer rely upon employment

not be the only means of distributing purchasing power. We must find other ways. The greater security and the increasing leisure made possible by improved production methods must be distributed to the people as a whole in some

But how shall this be done? What is to be done in the first place, wages and salaries must be established on a definite basis, so as to provide the maximum inducement for people to do the work needed, though diminishing wages may be needed. Workmen must be well paid.

Furthermore, we must ensure that if a man is displaced by a machine, or if he is sick and cannot go to work, or if he is disabled, he and his family will not be rendered destitute. And more than that, every citizen must have

In order to do this, we should guarantee every citizen that, apart from his wages or salary, he will receive a basic income sufficient

security, with freedom, in unemployment, sickness, disability or age. And these benefits should increase with greater production, as the machines continue to displace manpower.

But we must also distribute resulting leisure and culture brought to us by them. This can be done in several ways:

REDUCE HOURS

Next, we can reduce the hours during which men work in industry.

Then, we can divert more and more of our attention to the development of cultural pursuits—arts, sciences, religion, meditation and so forth.

to bear in mind that we must give proper attention to providing facilities for the use of all the increasing leisure along lines which will enrich the national culture, strengthen morale and make for the well-being of all.

Aid finally, we must ensure that the system is completely recognized than is possible today.

trend of affairs. They are just plain common-sense measures for dealing with a far-reaching and revolutionary event in human history, namely the advent of a vast army of mechanical slaves to serve man.

When you view the matter from these angles, it becomes very plain that the futile and inadequate way in which we are trying to fight

...the problem by means of the palliatives of compulsory unemployment insurance schemes, and impossible plans of trying to create full employment after the war, are useless, stupid, ineffective, puerile and even basically revolutionary.

real facts, and they place the human race in an impossible position with their backs against the wall. What do we expect they will do if those things are continued?

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The Edge of Darkness

BY WILLIAM WOODS

CHAPTER XVIII

In the cold gray darkness Karen came down the hill, and was met by an anxious Margit at the farm yard gate. They stared at the sky and the knapsack safely away, and crept upstairs into the chilly bedroom.

Margit had hardly slept. The two girls lay in their cold bed, wrapped the heavy quilt tightly around them (there was no heat upstairs), and talked hurriedly in low whispers. But only a few minutes passed before they heard Oscar chain saw driving at a furious rate up the road and into the farm yard. Margit looked out the window and saw him unloading the sweating horses.

"Ouf, Ouf," he kept calling in a muffled voice. A young lad ran out of the house beating his mitted hands together, and helped him get the horses into the barn. Then both of them, blowing clouds of steam out from under their fur boots, got to work lifting several large metal barrels out of the sleigh and rolling them one by one down into the cellar.

The girls crept back into bed. Margit was shivering with a strange premonition. Karen's news that Karl might have to leave Trollhagen, her father's inexplicable movements down in the cellar, her own sleepless hours combined to make her more frightened than she had ever been. And yet it was she who had to comfort Karen. The younger one had needed all her strength the night before to remain firm and show Karl that she was not afraid. Only a few minutes Margit as if her mother. After a while, they both fell asleep.

Hold Everything

And down the stairs came Karen and Margit with their faces washed but looking very sheepish, both in brown dresses and heavy stockings coming to their knees, and each carrying three wadded petticoats billowing beneath her skirts. "Get back up and put on your shoes," Fru Erikson cried at them. "Oh, please don't make us," and Karen, trying very hard to keep her eyes open. And Margit, peering over her friend's shoulder, said, "Is there any breakfast left?" Fru Erikson leaned back and brought her hair back with her hand. "Oh, what silly creature," she cried. "Of course there's breakfast! Where is everybody?" Margit asked. "Whoever isn't here is in the barn," called Fru Erikson. "And who isn't in the barn, and that your father, has gone down to see the doctor."

Left-A-Day



"If a cat doesn't come along in five minutes, I'll give you your money back!"

Curious World —By William Ferguson



Answer: In Bermuda

What To Do

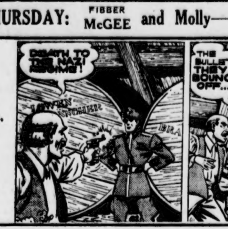
Are bridge luncheons ever served on card tables? Answer: Bridge luncheons may be served on card tables. In this case small luncheon cloths are used and the small table is set much as a large one would be. If you have a crowd, a buffet lunch, which may be eaten at the card table works out very well. In this way everyone may help himself, choose his companions and need not wait. The serving problem is eliminated. A two-course luncheon is best suited to large parties. Individual chicken pies are good, and a tossed green salad which the hostess may serve is a nice accompaniment. A pie or cake, dessert and coffee makes a well-rounded menu.

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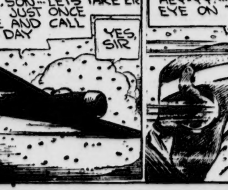
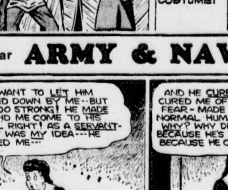
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